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Hongkong, September 5, 1896. 1806

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To-day's Advertisements.

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FLOOD, KIRCH & Co. Capton, 10th September, 1896. JAMES FLOOD. GEORGE FLOOD. н. п. KIRCH:

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORÈ. IIHE Company's S.S. Chelydra having arrived from the above Ports, Con-

signees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 12th Inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and

expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hangkoug, September 10, 1896. PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165. Regular MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zorland Street, on WED NESDAY, the 16th last., at 8.30 for 9 p.ui, precisely. Visiting Brethnen are cordially invited to attend. Hougkong, September 10, 1896.

Not Responsible for Debts.

4 leither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crow of the following Pessels, during their stay in Longbon, Harbour :--CASABLANDA, Brit. barque, Capt. Richard

Cantley .- Siemssen & Co. NORTHBROOK, British barque, Capt. Wm. Lawton.-Government. PAUL REVERE, American ship, Captain Mullin -Carlowitz & Co.

STANFIELD, Brit. barque, Capt. Wilson.

SHIPPING.

\_ARRIVALS,

Beptember 9 :--Siegfried, German steamer, 990, T. H. 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases.

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Liver, of and Singapore September 4, General - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Holstein, German str., 1,163, J. Brahn, Saig in, September 6, R ca.-Jensen & Co. Cheang Chao, British str., 1,213, Fred. Webb, Singapore September 4, 4.30 p.m., General -- End CHIN CHEONO.

DEPARTURES. September 10 :-Ching Ping, for Canton. Resetta, for Europe, &c. Kwang Lee, for Shanghai. Davis, for Chefoo. Keongwai, for Hothow. Nanchang, for Tientain.

Haitan, for Swetow. Benlarig, for Singapore. CLEARED. Airlie, for Macaon -... Footing Sucy, for Callao. Hailoung, for Swalow. Hinsang, for Hongay. Stanfield, for Rajaug. Palamed, for Shanghai.

ARRIVED. Per Chelydra, from Calcutta, dor, Miss Bolitho, Miss Wauchone, and 463 Chinese. Per Palamed, from Liverpool and Singepore, Mr McElroy, and T Chinese ; for Shanghai, Mr Clarke. Per Chang Chow, from Singapore, 574

Per Rosetta, from Hongkong : for Singapore, Miss Levein, Miss Licette Levein, and Mr F. Urbig : for Brindiel, Muests C. S. Dopp, F. H. England and A. A. Greig | for London, Mr S. J. Thompson. From Shanghai ! for London, Mrs W. G. Jerroli and child. From Yokohama ; for London, Mr H. M. Arnould. From Nagazaki for ter of an hour before ; for mails for Furope Loudon, Mr. Ar Forben Par Haitan, for Swatow, 190 Chinese.

Per Airlie, for Macao, 2 Europeans, and 20 Chineso. Per Fooling Sucy, for Callao, 10 Chinese. Per Hailoong, for Swatow, 100 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Chelydra reports: August 26 left Uslcutta, from theuce to Penang, had moderate weather and S.W. monsoon, and fine weather through the Straits. From Singapore to Hongkong, light and moderate S.W. winds and fine

The British steamer Palamed reports : Leaving Singapore, fine, S.W.; latter part, The British steamer Cheang Chow reports: Fine weather throughout the voyage.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, THURS. ISLAND. COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE .- BRISBANE, SYD NEY & MELBOURNE -Por Airlie, Registration at 9 a.m., Letters at 9.30 a.m., on Friday, the 11th September. (Supplementary

mail on board till time of departure. Extra postage 10 cents). For SWATOW.-Per Hailoong, at 11.39 a.m., on Friday, On Calcuttathe IIth September. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 11.30 s.m., on Friday,

the 11th September. For SHANGHAL -Par Energia, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 11th September. Per Lycemoon, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 12th September.

For SAIGON .-Per Deuteros, at 1.30 p.m., en Friday, -the 11th September. For SINGAPORE & PENANG.-Per Ingrahan, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday,

the 11 h September. For SINGAPORE, SAMARANG & SOU. RABAYA.-Per Onsang, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 12th September. K SHANGHAI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA

VICTORIA, B.J., & TACOMA.-Per Tacoma, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 12 h September. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CUTTA. — Per Kangra, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15 h September.

For SINGAPORE .-Per Aglaia, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the lon September.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET The United States Mail Packet Belgie will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 12th September, with Mails for Japan, Ban Francisco, the United States, Canada, Ronolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

Abreus, Moji Sept. 3, Coals.—Harling, 11:00 A.M. Post Office closes, but Corres-Bushmann & Menzell. pondence may be posted on board the pondence may be posited on board the Packet, with Late Fee, of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. -The German Contract Packet Bayers will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 15.h September, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c. &c. Registry ceases at 7.30 a.m.

The mail closes at 8 a.m. Late Letters till 8:30 a.m.; with 10 cents extra postage. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. -

The French Contract Packet Saghalien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 16th September, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonics Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing , the Mails, &c. -

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co.'s PACKET.---The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress of Japan will be despatched on WED-NESDAY, the 30th Sept., with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, United States, Canada, &c., which will beclosed as 1.00 A.M. Regis ry ceases.

11.00 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of depar-Money Letters .- The Post Office decline all esponsibility for appreglatored Letters containing

bank notes, coin, or lewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, wart was no such letters (Post Guids, Par 80) REGISTRATION. Correspondence, can be re- are never used again by tis. gistgred for all Private Ship mails up to five in

Shanghai or Japan contract mails up to a quar-America, and Canada, do, up to an Hour before r for Indian, Northern Paside, and Torres. Per Henlerie, for Gingapore, 170 Chinese. Bustin mete, up to half an hour batters.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW, Sbjoping. Daylight .- Palamed leaves for Shanghai. Noon. - Hailcon' leaves for Swatow. Noon .- Verona leaves for Japan.

at 6. & p.m.

HONOKONG, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1896

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PARSED SUEZ CANAL.

(SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.)

OUTWARD BOUND :- Queen Olga, Idnimi

1st Sept. ; Glenartney, Manila, Ocennien,

Teenkai, 4th Sopt : Antenor, Cam

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Pakling, Palaevan

Mails.

French Mail, left Saigon on Sept.

The P. M. s. s. Peru, with mails, &c.,

The N. P. s. c. Victoria has arrived at

for this port via usual ports of call.

The Empress of Japan arrived at Yokohama

left Nagasaki for this port on the af-

Yokohama and sailed on 1st September

left San Francisco for this port via

Honolulu, Yokohama and Nagasaki,

left Singapore for this port on the

Steamers Expected.

The Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Maria Valerie

for this port on the 29th August.

The P. & O. s.s. Malacca left Bombay for

this port on the afternoon, Sept. 2

The China Mutual a. s. Oanfa, from Glas-

gow and Liverpool, passed the Canal

on Aug. 24, and may be considered due

at Singapore on or about Sept. 10.

Latest Advices.

The Empress of Japan arrived at Nagasaki at 6 a.m., Sept. 10, and leaves at 4

p.m. for Hongkong via Shanghai.

Tocoms for Hongkong via the usual

ports of call, on Monday, the 7th Sept.

at 10 p.m., on Tuesday, the 8th Sept.

and left at 7.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

the 9th, for Vancouver via Yokohama.

for this port on the 9th Sept., at 3 p.m.

Foochow on Sept. 10th, at 3 a.m.

and may be expected here on or about.

Monday, the 14th Sept., at day.lght.

this port on Sept. 9th, and is due hen

The s. s. Empress of India, arrived at Kobe

The P. & O. s. s. Mazagon left Singapore

The I. G. s. s. Bayern, left Shanghai via

The N. G. I. s. s. Bisagno left Bembay for

The master of a junk, loaded with kerosine

was fined \$35 at the Magistracy to day for

allowing his junk to lie alongside the Praya

wall at Praya West for a longer time than

of his ability, kindner and urbanity.

tablished a station in accordance with their

recent convention with the French Gov-

In his review of the Foreign imports into

China in 1895, Mr H. Kopsch, of the Im-

perial Maritime Customs, writes :- The

marked falling off which characterised the

Opium trade of 1894 has not been arrested,

but, on the contrary, shows a still more

the same cause given in last Report in ex-

planation of this retrograde movement,

namely, restricted production in India

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Native Opium from Chungking

on or about the 27th Sept.

is permitted.

The M. M. s. s. Caledonien, with the nex

Aug. 28. .. Polyphemus, 8th Sept.

at 3 a.m., for this port.

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4 p.m. for Hongkong.

on the 26th August.

morning of Sept. 9.

Nailer (1) 8th Sept.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Ghazed undelivered after this date embject to rent. Goods per Dorothea Rickmers undelivered after this date subject to rent. Transfer Books of Douglas Lapraik Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 26th Inst., inclusive.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, September 12;-2,30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's. Goods per Robble not cleared after , p.m. subject to rent. Goods per Chelydra undelivered after 4 p.m. landed.

SUNDAY, September 18 :-- . Transfer Books of The China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 26th Iust., inclusive. Monday, September 14 :-Goods per Hydaspes not cleared after 4 p.m. subject to rent:

Tursday, September 15 :- ' -- --Statement of Business with the Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., to be sent in before this date. WEDNESDAY, September 16:- -The O. & O. s. s. Coptic, with mails &c., 3 p.m - Moeting of The United Asbestos

Oriental Agency, Ld., at the Hongkong 9 p.m .- Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. THURSDAY, September 17:-3.30 p.m. - Meeting of Members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce in the Chamber Rooms, City

SATURDAY, September 26 :--Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The China Tradera' Insurance Co., Ld., at the Company's Office. Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Douglas Lapraik & Co., Ltd., at the

Company's Offices. Exchange. Hongkone, September 10, 1896. On London-On demand. 30 days' sight, ... 2/1 14 4 months' sight, ... 2/1 Credits, 4 ,, Documentary, 4 months' sights, ... 2/2 In Paris— On demand, ... ... 2,69 Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 2.73 On Berlin-Demand,... ... ... 2.16 On New York $-\omega$ On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight,... 524 On Bombay— On demand. ... On demand. On Shanghai-

On demand, .... 723 30 days' sight, (private paper) 73# Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ... \$48.00 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 9.23 Silver (per oz.) ... 30,76d. 

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L. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE HONGKONG DISPUNBARY Honghorg, July 4, 1408, .

This following navel appointment has bee The publication of this lance commenced made :- Staff Paymaster - Frederick H. M. Whitfield, to the Tamar.

THE Japanese Legation at Washington has invited tenders for the construction of two swift cruisers for the Japaness navy. This sop ought to please our American cousins.

Сокомво papers announce the death of Mr. A. C. Courtenay, Hon. Secretary, Colombo Cricket Club, the cause being suicide by laudanum while in a state of temporary Maru, 4th Aug.; Ettrickdale, Oak Branch, Radley, 14th Aug.; Ceylon, 21st Aug., Sarpedon, Oanfa, 25th Aug.; Prinz Heinrich, Heitha, Teucer, Hawick Hall,

LIEUT. J. T. Sterling, Coldstream Guards. A.D.C. to H. E. Sir William Robinson, has been promoted to be Captain: "We congratulate Captain Sterling on his promotion, which is dated ifth August.

Involvation was received yesterday morning by wire from Suez that the steamship Glenariney had arrived there on fire. The cargo is much damaged by fire and water. She passed the Canal on the 4th September on the outward voyage.

Mn Geo. J. Russell, chief engineer of the Kong Beng, is the latest victim of the at 8.30 a.m. September 7, and left at chronometer thieves of Bangkok. There is scarcely an officer or engineer on any of the Scottish Oriental steamers who has not suffered at the hands of these peats of the

WE are assured by a local 'sport' that the. snipe shooting, as far as it has gone, has not been the failure we were led to suppose The P. & O. s. s. Mazagon left Bombay by information from other sources. His gun accounted for the following brace on five excursions :- 15, 16, 30, 161, and 36, This is certainly satisfactory enough.

FROM a return of cases of cholers which had been forwarded by the Colonial Secretary of Singapore, to Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Colonial Secretary, it appears that ten cases of cholers occurred at Singapers from noon on the 17th August W noon on the 23rd August The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Olympia left 2000年1月1日 - 1000年1月1日 - 1000年1月 - 1000年1月1日 - 1000年1月1日 - 1000年1月 - 1000年

The death-rate for the week ended 29th August was 16.2 per thousand per annum. The rate for the corresponding week last year was 24.5. The death-rate for the week ended 5th September was 18.4 per thousand per annum, 30.8 being the rate in the corresponding week last year.

THE Singapore Free Press 80.78 :- It is suggested by Hongkong to fire the annual-Inter-Colonial Rifle Match on a date between the 22nd and the 31st October, both days inclusive. This arrangement will, wo understand, suit Singapore; and it is expected that Shanghai will fall in with the date mentioned.

An Infantry Officer writes to the Pioneer

Mail advocating the substitution of a Mr. Noel Trotter, the Postmaster General leather gaiter for the putti, and enumerates of the Straits Settlements, has been pre- assome of the gaiter's advantages :- 1, dursented by the P. O. employes with a testi- ability; 2, uniformity; 3, smartness; 4, monial on the eve of his departure for impermeability to spear grass and thorns; Europe on leave. The testimonial speaks 5, the little effect produced on it by wet; 8, the ease with which put on and taken off; and 7, cheapness. He concludes a YESTERDAY an old Chinaman died in the long letter (which would be interesting to Civil Hospital from injuries received on the Hongkong Volunteers) as follows :- The 3rd September by falling over the Praya only argument I have heard put forward on wall at Yaumati. The old man who was behalf of the puttit is that it braces up the partly blind had come to Yaumati from leg; well, everyone to his taste; but, in Tameui, and was gathering firewood when my opinion, and I think many will agree he fell over the wall and received injuries with me, free action of the muscles of the calf is essential when much walking has to to his left thigh from which he died. be done, as is shown by the relief felt VESTERDAY Messes F. W. Carly, P. Milhe, when the putti is removed after a long and Commissioner F. A. Carl, of the Im- day; and anyone who has tried to shoot perial Maritime Customs, departed by the from the kneeling position (the one usually steamship Haroi for Haiphong. From adopted by men advancing to the attack)

THERE Was a case tried polore Commander

Hastings at the Magistracy yesterday which

Halphong they will proceed by way of when wearing a tight putti will know the

Lackay and Mengize to Szumao, where unbleasant sensation as though the free

the Imperial Maritime Customs has es joirculation of blood in the lag was stopped.

reveals how the Chinese play fast and loose with the Stamp Ordinance. The matter is worth the attention of the Covernment, and it is to be hoped, in the interests of the Colony, that the Covernment will see this case properly sifted by the Grown Solicitor. There is money in it. If we once conspicuous decline, and apparently from impress the Chinese with the far reaching arm of the law, they will be more willing to comply with the provisions of the Stamp Act. The case to which we refer was that of a Chinese dealer in Japanese goods -respectable Chinese shopkeeper. It was brought out in evidence that a receipt for \$87.13 was tendered to a customer. The receipt was unstamped. A dispute having were landed, being 11,819 picula less than arisen about the payment of the account in in the pervious year. By a singular coin-Chinese ten-cent pieces, the customer deosmped, but was afterwards arrested, and with the total shipment 11,779 piculs—d when examined another receipe granted last month, was found upon him. This province of Szechwan, for distribution releipt for a num over \$10 was also unstamped. It would appear that the proonly a moiety of what leaves that westernprietor of the shop knew perfectly well most port by other routes and conveyances. that a mamp was required, because di-From Mengiez, in Yuman, 603 picula were rectly the stolen receipt was recovered he purchased a two-cent stamp, officed it to the receipt, and wished to withdraw the Straits. A decade ago the amount of Incharge against the oustomer willing now dien Opium landed at Hongkong for con to accept the Chinese meany and line in sumption in China reached 96,164 picula per cent. to eave brouble. The police very properly refused to allow the charge to be and in 1886 67,800 plouls peased through the Queston House, wherear 51, 806 piechwithdrawn. On the syldence given in the Police Court, this would necess to be a to can be sking than an extraction of the Stamp Ordinator the U.S. . . . most exemplate punishment ought to be indicted. called anti-oplum pills and that indulgence ed spour encourager les militas.

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fore the year was out.

We are pleased to learn that the Colonial Government has been successful, through the prompt action of Mr E. H. Fraser. H.B.M. Acting Vice-Consul at Canton, in obtaining an assurance from the Viceroy of the Kwangtung Province that the villagers who perpetrated the recent outrage on Hongkong sportsmen on the Canton River will be sought out and punished. The following letter from Mr Fraser has been sent by the Colonial Secretary to Mr Q. H. Potts, who was one of the party:-H. M. Consulate,

Canton, 7th Sept., 1896. Sir, -In reply to your letter No. 1373 of 29th August, I have the honour to inform | hour. you that the Viceroy has sent orders to the local Civil and Military authorities to ascertain the ringleaders in the assault on Mr Potts' party and inflict exemplary punishment upon them. The Viceroy's Secretary assured me to-day that His Excellency is exceedingly angry at this iresh outrage and will deal with it severely.

Ar a meeting of the Sanitary Board held this afternoon, a letter was read from Dr | The following paragraph from the Siam | the publication of the statements. It was Clark, the Medical Officer of Health, report-" ing that a portion of a building which is over a public latrine in Tai Wong Street, as at present arranged, unfit for human habitation. He begged to recommend that a notice be served upon the owner of the habitation, namely, by closing an opening tobacco estate. A Javanese woman, the that one of their girls showed herself to be have them next week. in a party wall and ceasing to occupy the was present when the murder took place, for a wife. It was not shown that anyone passage and kitchen, or in lieu thereof to cause the entire premises to be vacated within one month from the date on which before doing the deed. The murder took the notice is served; and that failing compliance with this notice an application be made to the Police Magistrate, under section 23 of the said Ordinance, to prohibi the use of the premises for human habitation. The Secretary, in a minute, submitted that if a few public latrines could be erected near the place to meet the requirements of the people in the neighbourhood this latrine should be abolished, failing this then the course recommended by the Medical Officer of Health should be adopted. Mr Ede and Captain Lethbridge by their minutes concurred in the auggestion of the Medical Officer of Health. The recommendations of the Medical Officer of Health were adopted by the Board.

diversified reading matter. The best illustration of the number is the etching Gow's Queen Mary's farewell to Scotland; the other illustrations are scarcely up to the usually high standard of this artistic production. Mr E. M. Bowdon, who was in Hongkong, if we mistake not, about three years ago, commences a series of articles on Art Themes from Hinduiam. into which he introduces much of the lore and mythology of Hinduism. Despite its degradation, he is of opinion that our artists might obtain many good subjects from Hinduism. In the hymne and spice and mythological dramas of the Hindus, he says, artists of very various inclinations from the first instalment of the last Chimay find situations and characters which . stir their feelings or gratify their methetic gaise. In another pisco, he says Some of these primitive conceptions of the Hindu pantheon are beautiful and sublime in a high degree, Readers of Spott's Antiquary will find an interesting article by the recondite A (F) Millar on the prototype of mission and attendant expenses. Monkbarns at Arbroath. Mr Patrick Allan-Frazer of Hospitalfield, who died in 1800, left this ancient and historical count keep on filling up the Reserve until it try residence as a College for artists. Owimprecticable up to the present, to carry of the public in the Bank; will make the but the wishes of the deceased, himself investment as sale as landed property in intimate friend of South Lauder, John its present value of \$43, because the Phillip, W. P. Frith, and others who have dividend could then, without the necessity become more famous amongst our English artists. Another Souther subject which mounts a case of waiting a few years bright, will appeal to the graduates of Edinburgh and the steady ries in the specie will retore Liniversity is a description of the new dividend, L. & C. Erbrut. Atademic Hall presented by Mr William McRwan, M.P., at a cost of \$2100,000. In London rose 8/. yesterday, and 10 to-Achievement and the article consists of

Tan Acting Manager of the Amalganiased In his weekly share report, Mr J. Y. V. Telegraph Companies (Mr J. M. Beck) in Vernon says :- The market has been brisk forms us that the Nagasaki Office reports | during the week under review, and a fair to as follows :- The main telegraph lines to large business has been transacted in nearly Yokohama, Tokio and other places to the all stocks, Banks and Docks heading the Northward are entirely destroyed in the list with some important transactions, neighbourhood of Lake Biwa, in conse. The general tone of the market has been quence of a flood." All Telegrams for firm, and rates have ruled almost generally places beyond Kobe, such as Yokohama, with an upward tendency. Many im-Tokio, Hakodate, etc., will, in the mean- portant changes in quotations have taken while, be sent forward to be dealt with by place. . . . . . Hongkong and Whambest possible means. The railway beyond pos Docks have again been the chief Gouverneur General de l'Indo-Chine a Kobe is at present blocked, but telegrams | feature of the week's business, and have will be forwarded by steamers which leave steadily risen, with a good business, from 194 to 201 per cent. prem. cash; on time a good many have changed hands at rates AT a meeting of the Sanitary Board held ranging from 198 to 208 for December and this afternoon, it was intimated that the at equivalent rates for the intermediate Colonial Secretary had forwarded to the months. The Gaelic, which is now in dock, Board a copy of the Census Report for proves to be a larger job than was anti-1891, with a view of suggestions being made | cipated, and I learn that the Company is In the way of improvement or modification likely to be full of good work for some in the manner of taking the census | months to come. The market closes with before the end of this year. The sellers at 201. Kowloon Wharves have Medical Officer of Health in a minute | somewhat improved their position and have attached suggested a few alterations in the been enquired for at \$54 to \$541, resulting manner in which the census was taken in in small sales at these rates. Not many 1891, and stated that he had already ob- chares, however, are obtainable. I hear tained the exact figures of the strength of on good authority that the business is imthe army on June 30th. The President proving and that the leasing of the Wanthought it desirable to include the military | chai Godowns is so far showing good reestablishments in the census, because sults, also that it has been decided to run there would be a change of regiments be- the forry service between Kowloon and Hongkong for the Company's profit after the expiration of the present lease of their wharf to the present ferry service, which I believe will take place next year. Wanchais have been out of favour with no business at quotation.

> VESSELS AT THE DOCKS:-At Kowicon-Activ. Formosa, Tacoma, Britannic, Decima, Loongmoon, Nanyo Maru, Afridi. Comopolitan-John Baisley, Gaelic. Aberdeen-Asloun.

Tur new German ironclad Kagir has just made some machinery trials; the results were considered satisfactory, the vessel easily attaining a speed of 16 knots per the male plaintiff had taken legal advice that

By the homeward mail yesterday (says the Straits Times of the 2nd September), there arrived from Hongkong a numb r of copies of the score of 'The Sorcerer,' kindly sent, in response to a telegraphic request, by the Amateur Dramatic Club of Hongkong. Rehearsals will now commence in earnest.

Free Press carries with it a nasty inference | absolutely absurd to say that the fishermen | this month. The Problem Competition is with regard to the skipper of some of the | would refuse to sell fish to a man who was used as a domestic dwelling, is situated beginning to make the round trip to Hong- of these statements. The most of the dam. I give this week is a fair specimen of the kong, Singapore, and back with disgusting age done was that he has had to do a cash kind of work set by the Secretary for the regularity or rather post-office irregularity. business instead of a credit business, and and that in his opinion these premises are, Perhaps when every captain on the Hong- he believed that an arrangement was come kong line is a married man the mail bags to between him and another firm to will not so often be forgotten.

> Lahat Datu (B. N. Borneo) reports that on | ner the plaintiffs brought up their children. murdered man's housekeeper, stated she ill-tempered, hadly behaved and was unfit and that it was done by a Malay named had suffered socially in the least degree, Ahmat who had been working as syce to and it was only social injury that could place about 11 p.m. of the 28th while Jackon was asleen in bed. There were six wounds on the face and neck : death' must have been instantaneous. Mr Dunlop had the woman put under arrest, and issued a notice of \$100 reward for the capture of the

THE Bangkok Times of the 28th August con-

maintains its reputation. The mail which | be much more attentive to her husband. was despatched by the s. s. Keongwai for Hongkong on the 14th July last, was returned to the Bangkok Post Office on the the jury. 12th inst. just as it was sent out. It had as the latter steamer was the first vessel to | which the plaintiffs gave the meaning of as at Hongkong, forgotten seemingly but what the meaning the defendants intended The Art Journal for August is replete with this time! It's sure to be delivered one of | would put upon them. Lthese days, if the attempt is only persevered in. In some parts of the world people would get angry over a thing like that, but in Bangkok we are happily out of the rush that is alleged to characterise modern life. It will be noted that the Post Office is in no way to blame for the delay.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

THE PROFIT FROM THE CHINA LOAN 20

LACS OF DOLLARS. A correspondent who follows these matters closely writes to us :- It is not generally known that in the last figures of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank for halfyear ending June 30 that no item of profit nese Five per Cent. Gold Loan was included in these figures—say, 25s. dividend, \$25 lacs to Reserve Fund, with \$3 lacs carried forward to new Profit and Loss account. We may estimate the profit slready acorned at 87 to 88 lacs, and if no underwriting is done with balance of loan-£3,000,000, the profit should be quite double that of the first instalment -21 per cent: to 3 per cent, will be saved in com-

Therefore the collective profit from this China Lean will be from first to last quite 820 lacs. Most likely the policy will be to attains the figure of say \$10,000,000, and for which, I deresay, a very great deal can be said. It will strengthen the confidence Cornhill or Lombard-street, and possibly we may then see the stook nearly double of additions being made to the Reserve, be a steady 62 each half year. It simply

[We learn that the value of Bank shares the protection of peace. He and I are

M. W. Robinson & Co.

QUARANTINE AT INDO-CHINA PORTS. MEDICAL INSPECTION ONLY FOR EUROPEAN

We have received the following for pub-Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, Hongkong, 10th Sept., 1896. Dear Sir .- This Chamber has to-day received a latter from the Colonial Secretary enclosing copy of subjoined despatch from the French Consul :-

Hongkong, 9th Sept., 1896.
Monsieur le Secretaire de la Colonie. J'ai l'honneur de vous informer que la de Hongkong seront admis à la libre pratique dans les ports l'Indo-Chine aprés simple visite et que les jonques Chinoises provenant de Hongkong resteront soumises à une quarantaine de sept jours à compter de leur arrivée. Vouillez agréer, Monsieur le Secretaire

la Colonie, les assurances de ma haute (Sd.) LEON GME LE ROUX. I am, Dear Sir, Yours faithfully,

R. CHATTERTON, WILCOX, Secretary. SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Honour Mi T. Sercombe Smith, Acting Puisne Judge, and a Thursday, September 10.

A CRINESE LIBEL ACTION. The action brought by Cheung Nang Kai and his wife, Lu A See, against Cheng Fat for the publication of certain libellous statements in the Wah Tze Yat Po and by leaflets about their daughter, for which damages of \$1000 were claimed, was resum-

Mr G. C. C. Master represented the plaintiffs, and Mr J. J. Francis (instructed by Mr K. W. Mounsey) appeared for the defendant.

The jurymen were :- Messrs. W. B. Walker, E. J. Moses and C. S. Gubbay. Mr Francis, in opening the case for the defence, said the words in the statement only meant the woman was quarrelsome; these words did not imply an imputation on her chastity. No evidence had been brought to show that the plaintiffs had suffered in the minds of their neighbours, that they had been shunned or that they had suffered any inconvenience or any disadvantage whatever in consequence of the publication of these statements. The whole of the story had been made up, and it was only after his credit had been shaken in any degree. The plaintiff had stated he had lost \$2000 which he had advanced to fishermen who had since refused to trade with him in consequence of the libellous statements, but in cross-examination it had been brought out that they had ceased to deal with him at the very beginning of the year. fore the libel was published, long before the girl left her own house and gave rise to

support this action. They had nothing to were asking for the hand of the other daughter, and that did not seen to show clear that quarrels had taken place. But who was responsible for these quarrelsthe daughter or the mother-in-law? The father had stated in answer to his questions, Walbrodt (10) each), divide £10. that when the daughter left her husband on the two occasions he advised her to go back. There must have been something in the complaints made against her before tains the following paragraph :- Bangkok | her father would advise her to go back and

Evidence for the defence was then given. Mr Francis and Mr Master addressed His Lordship, in his summing up, said been carefully preserved, but it had not the publication was admitted and the jurors been delivered. It appears that the mail had to decide whether the words were false Keongwai to the Mongkut at Koh-si-Chang, Chinese word which was disputed, and and Illustrated in twelve lectures? leave. By a mistake it was not delivered immodest, he said it did not matter at all was carried back to Bangkok. On the 16th | these words to have. The only matter bag by the Mongkut. Well, better luck any reasonable person reading these words,

He concluded by submitting to the jury three points—Is the publication defematory or not? is the publication false or not? and I the amount of damages.

the damages at \$250. His Lordship gave judgment for \$250 with the costs of the action.

A WIN FOR THE PRINCE OF WALES.

His Lordship then thanked the jury for their attendance. THE ST. LEGER.

Telegrams were received to-day announcing the result of the St. Leger as follows: Persimmon ...... Labrador

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [Supplied to the 'CHINA MAIL.'] THE REBELLION IN MASHONA-

LAND. Chief Makoni, the leader of the Mashonas has been captured and shot, after a trial by

THE SOULLING CHAMPIONSHIP Gaudaur, the American sculler, has beston Stanbury, the Australian, in a race for the Sculling Championship of the World.

TSAR'S VISIT.

The Emperor William, at a banquet at Guerlitz efter the departure of the Tear; said that the Tear desires only to employ his brodus in the service of civilisation and. working in complete accord to unite the peoples of Europe on the ground of dommen interests for the propertion of the

WEATHER NOTICE. The following notice is issued from the

Observatory:--On the 10 at 11.15 a. Yesterday afternoon the depression appears to have been lying to the South of Kuisui, Japan. No reports from thence this morning. The barometer is almost steady elsewhere, excopt a slight fall at Shanghai where pressure is now about 0.1 inch below the normal. Pressure also remains in defect at Bolinao, and apparently, across the middle part of the China Sea. Forecast :light N. E. winds ; fine.

CHESS COLUMN. CONDUCTED BY 'BLACK BISHOP.

A Communications should be addressed CHESS, CHINA MAIL OFFICE. Original Problems should be accompanied by Solution and Analysis. The Hongkong Chess Club meets every Thursday from four till cleven p.m. at Thomas's Grill Room.

Problem No. 8. Black (5 pieces). Set in the Hongkong Chess, Club Competition. **©** 

White (7 pieces).

White to play and mate in three moves. Solution to Problem No. 6, by J. W. 1. R-Q B 5 1. K\* R 1. K×P

1. Kt moves ---Correct solutions received from T.H.R. and M. J. D. The correspondent who sent 1. RxP ch. as a key should note that the reply 1. Kt x R ch precludes his second move 2. R-B 4.

Hongkong, September 10. At the Chess Club on Thursday last Mr Souza, the holder of the Championship, de-They had ceased to deal with him long be- feated Mr Barlow by two games to nothing, and under the rules of the competition may not be challenged again till the 25th of drawing rapidly to a close. The problem

Dr Emanuel Lasker has won the Nudo with the question whether that young remberg tournament as he won the Four woman was libelled or not, except in so far | Master's tourney at St. Petersburg. premises, under section 18 of the Public | Ms. A. R. Dunlop, the officer in charge at as the statement made regarding the man-Health Ordinance of 1887, requiring him the 31st July he received news of the mur. The libel put at the very worst was that ker, Steinitz and Tchigorin. The detailed to put the premises in a state fit for human der of Robert Jackson, an assistant on the they so badly brought up their children scores are not yet received, but I hope to

Since writing the above I learn that the prizes at Nuremberg were won as follows :--Jackson and had run away a couple of days follow that statement. Several suitors 1 E. Lasker (131), £150 and trophy; 2 G. Maroczy (121), £100; 3 H. N. Pillsbury social injury had been done. It was quite and Dr Tarrasch (12 each), divide £75 and £50; D. Janowski (11½), £30; W. Steinitz (11), £15; and C. Schlechter and C.

I have before me an admirable little book that should be studied by all players who 8 ch. wish to hold their own against strong antagonists, but are without leisure to devote hours to the study of openings. Common Sense in Chess, by Emanuel Lasker [Bellairs and Co., London; 2s6dy deals with the openings, mid game and end game on bag in question was transferred from the or true. In regard to the meaning of the general principles. These are expounded

As last week, I fill this column with Nuremberg games, and must defer the pleasure inst. the Post Authorities redespatched the | which concerned them was what meaning of giving extracts from Mr Lasker's book, contenting myself with recommending it cordially. The games I give are the contest between the two rivals for the first place (Steinitz and Lasker), a somewhat ludicrous The jury returned an enswer in the af- game between Janowski and Schallopp, and firmative to the two questions, and assessed the game between Steinitz and Janowski.

> Game No. 15. (FRENCH DEFENCE.) White (W. Steinitz.) Black (E. Lasker.) 1. P-K 4 P-Q 4 2. P-Q4 P-QB4 3. Kt--Q-2 4. P×BP  $\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{P}$ B-Kt 3 5. Kt-Kt S Kt--K B 3 (a) B. PxP 7. B--Kt 5 ch S. B x B ch 9. P-QB4 10. P-B 5 Kt-B 3 11. Kt-B 3 Castles (KR) 12. Castles 13. Q Kt—Q 4 KtxKt K R-K sq (b) 14. Q×Kt R-K 5 QR-K aq P-KR3 Q—Kt 5 18. P—Q R 3 (c) P\_K Kt4 19. P-Q Kt 4 Q-B 4 21. Q—Q 3 22. Q—Kt 5 (d) Q-R4 23, Q×P R-R 5 24. Ktx B RxKt 25. P-B 3 R-R 8 ch 26. Q-B 7 Q-R 5 ch 27. K-B 2 28. Q-Ht 8 (c 50. R×R

(a) A valuable developing move PxP, BxP oh follows. (b) The command of the King's turned out very valuable to Black. (t) White is too intent on securing some

Queen's side. (d) Incomprehensible. Black has his Queen, two Rooks and two minor pieces all threatening White's King's side, and White goes calmly fishing for the Q Kt P. (e) If White plays 28 R-R O. Black

replies RNR: 20 RXR P-Q 8 wine

In the ninth round, a game was played between Janowski and Schallopp. It forms a record Tournament game, finished in the space of two hours and in seventeen moves.

While it cannot be called instructive it is most distinctly anusing :-Game No. 16. QUEEN'S GAMBIT. White (Janowski,) Black (Schallopp.) 'nχP 2. P-Q B 4

P-Q B 4 3. Kt—K B 3  $\mathbf{P} \times \mathbf{P}$ 4. P-K 3 B---Kt 5 5. **P**×**P** P-K 3 6. B×P Kt-B 3 7. Q-R4 ch  $\mathbf{Q} \times \mathbf{P}$ Q--K 5 ch 9. Kt × Kt  $\mathbf{P} \times \mathbf{Kt}$ 10. B--K 3  $\mathbf{Q} \times \mathbf{P}$ 11. Kt—B 3  $\mathbf{P} \times \mathbf{B}$ 12. B-Q 5 13. Q×P ch 14. Q×R ch K-K 3 15. Q-Kt 7 ch B---Q 3 16. Q.—B 6 ch 17. B—B 4 Resigns. It will be noticed that Black can capture

both White rooks, after which White will

mate him in three. Position at conclusion of Game No. 16:-2 图 4

Game No. 17. QUEEN'S PAWN OPENING. Black (Janowski.) White (Steinitz.) 2. P-Q B4 Kt---K B 3 3. Kt-Q B 3 B-K 2 4. Kt-B3 5. Q-B 2 Castles. P×KP 6. P-K 4 Kt—B 3 · 7. Kt×P Kt x Kt 8. B—K 3 P-B 4  $9. \mathbf{Q} \times \mathbf{Kt}$ P---B 5 11. B—Q 2 P-K 4 B-K Kt 5 12. P×P (a) 13. Q—Kt 3 Kt--Q 5  $\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{Kt}$ 14. Q--Q sq R—B4 15. P × B R×P ch 16. B—Q 3 17. B—K 4 Q-Q 2 P-B 4 18. B—B 3 R-Q.sq 19. Q—Q 3 Q—**Ř** 5 20. Castles (Q R) B-B 3 4 21. K-Kt sq R-K 2 22. B×KtP(b) R—Kt sq 23. B-K 4 K-R sq 24. KR-K 84 R—Q 2 25. B—Q5 26. R-K 4 R-Q 3 R(Q3)-Kt327. QR-K sq 28. K - B sq (c P-QR4 29. P—K R 4 R-K B sq 36. P—R 5  $\mathbf{G} \times \mathbf{R} \mathbf{P}$ 31. P—R 6  $\mathbf{K} \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{t} \mathbf{s} \mathbf{q} (d)$ 32. R×P 33. P x P ch . Q-R 8 ch 34. R (B 4)--K 4 R×Pch 35, K—Q2 R-K B sq 36. K—K 3 Q-R 7 37. P-B4 38. B x R 39. R-KR sq (c) R-Q Kt sq 40. R—K 5 41. B-K4(f)

(a) There was not much choice. If P-Q 5, P-K 5; 13 Q×P, B-KB 4. (b) What a fatal infatuation Queen's Knight's pawns have for Herr Steinitz. If 22 B-Q 5 ch, Black would almost be compelled to give up the exchange by R (K 4) ×B; 23 P×R. If Black did not take the Bishop, White would obtain an even game by  $23 \, \text{B} \times \text{Kt}$ . (c) White thus hopes to escape as Black

dare not play Q × RP for fear of 29 R-K (d) If Black had played B-Kt 4. PxP ch, KxP; 84 BxKt oh etc., but Black withstood the temptation and did

(c) RxP on is simed at, to be followed by Rx Kt dis. ch, equalising the game. (f) This move loses. It would really seem better to have played 41 R-Q Kt sq. Then if QxR, 42 QxQ, RxQ, 43 R-R 8 ch. B-Bsq. 44 R×B ch. If Black doss not take the Rook, but plays Kt-R ch, 42 QxKt wins. If Kt -B 4 ch, 42 RxKt. It was certainly worth trying.

THE STOPPING POWER OF THE LEE-METFORD RIFLE. One of the features of the Meerut Rifle

ing, and the British soldier in India will he is better armed than any enemy he is likely to meet.

Naw Stock of Planos and Repairing Ma-

HOW SIAM IS TO BE ACQUIRED BY FRANCE.

THE FRENCH AND SECRET SOCIETIES. Under the heading 'Impressions of a Returned Exile, a correspondent of the Courrier de Saigon writes from Paris : And now, if you ardently desire it, we will deal with questions which affect you more closely, with things relating to Further Asia. I have just received from Siam a very interesting letter upon the policy of formed, where you are, than we you will Kelly and Potts report :which have arisen at Chantaboon and strength since the settlement, and most Battambong, and you will have commented stocks show an appreciable advance on last upon them. What strikes me amongst week's quotations, the piquant details which reach me While the King graciously invites our Re-

nications. Very fortunately we have un-

without energetically protesting as far as he have hardened and have been placed. at has the right, and the day will come, we \$94, \$95, \$96, and \$97 and are in strong hope, when France will lose patience with | demand at \$96. too arrogant Rolin-Jacquemyns and Devawongses, and present her bill for payment. | and Macao Steamboats have changed hands Unhappy land! Alas that the unlucky at \$331 and \$331 and more can be placed Convention of January last has been at these rates. Indo Chinas after being imposed upon us; but let the Sia. | sold at \$47 and \$471 are again easier with mese beware that they do not them sellers at the former rate. China and selves tear up this treaty in their absolute | Manilas are slightly weaker and a few small reliance on English protection, by the lots are in the market at \$71. Douglascourse they have adopted of ignoring our | Steamships have again been asked for and rights, and breaking their engagements. have been sold at \$07. It is runoured that The question of registering Lactians and the Company will show a profit of \$247,000 the riverine population of the Mekong for the year, out of which it is proposed to. follows its course, the number of our pro- pay a dividend of 12 per cent, place \$40,000 tégés at Nan, at Korat, and at Bangkok, to reserve, write of \$66,000 for depreciaand everywhere else, is growing larger tion, and carry \$21,000 forward. daily. Despite the opposition of the Sia- | Refineries .- China Sugars continue in meso, and despite the tricks of the police, demand and have been taken off the market Annamites and Cambodians come in in- at \$124 and \$125. For October sales have creasing numbers to the French Lega- been effected at \$126, and for December at tion and register themselves, as do also \$128 and \$130. Luzons continue quiet, many members of the Chinese Secret although the Company's earning aup to date Societies in Bangkok. Shortly, all the are reported to be well up to last year's. Celestials in the capital will be withdrawn | Mining .- Punjems have dropped to from Siamese jurisdiction and able to call \$12} with sales, owing to the poor result; upon the authority of the French Repre- of last mouth's crushing. New Balmorals sentative. It is an excellent thing, this have been placed at \$21. Raubs are firm registration; in preparation for the time at \$54. Olivers, \$1 paid up, are enquired when we have to put forward new demands, for at \$2, but holders are asking higher an excellent thing pending the development rates. A telegram has been received by of our influence and commerce in that coun- the Managers of the Mine, which states try whence neither the ruses of English that the first expert has reported very policy nor the unjustifiable proceedings of favourably on the machining plant, &c. adventurers directly interested in fishing in

to what we have recently said concerning have been fixed at \$45. the campaign of calumny.—Bangkek Times.

THE OVERDUE S.S. 'HONG LIONG. of the s.s. Hong Liong, Capt. Fripp, which was five or six days overdue from Amoy | \$181. Humphrey's Estate have changed and Swatow, the steamer having left for hands to a considerable extent at \$9. Singapore on or about the 20th August, has supplies having run out. The passengers changed hands at 806. Ewos have dropped and crew were all safe according to a letter to Tis. 80 and are offering in the North at and the vessel which had sustoined no and sales at \$29 are reported. damage, reaching Kuantan about 11 o'clock on Saturday morning. When the Perdana left the Hong Liong was taking in supplies | CHEAP Copyright Music, 6 for \$1.-W. of firewood and expected to leave for Sin- Robinson & Co. gapore either this afternoon or to-morrow food or water on board, Singapore Free to be held in June or July next year.

TRADE IN THE SHAN STATES.

ham deal with trade and trade prospects in | vessels are to be pushed forward with the that region. In view of the construction utmost possible activity. The torpedo boat of the Mandelay-Salween railway the opi- Pernoff, built in France by the Norman nions of two experienced officers, who Works, and intended for the Russian know the country well are deserving of Mediterranean Squadron, is to be retained Meeting in December will be the experi- record. Mr Leveson tells us that no sta- at the Izhora Arsenal as a model the mental shooting with Lee-Metford annu- tistics of the volume of trade from the torpedo boat Pakerort is to replace it in the nition made up with the new bullet which Northern Shan States to China or to Burma Russian Mediterranean Squadron. has given such satisfactory results at Dum- are yet available, but that trade was in a Dum. As 40,000 rounds will be available | flourishing condition was obvious from the for use by the best marksmen in the Pun- numbers of caravans on the road. One of jab and Bengal Commande, including the | the principal products of the States is pickpick of the Volunteers, the results obtained led toa and Mr Wooster estimates at least should be most instructive. We under- eight thousand bullook loads were exported stand (says the Pioneer Mail) that Colonel from Tawngpeng during the year 1805.6. Hill, Assistant Adjutant for Musketry and The difficulties with which this trade has to Honorary Secretary of the B. P. R. A., contend are apparent from the fact that the will give a short explanatory lecture tea, most of which is sent to Mandalay, is to such competitors as care to learn conveyed partly in carts and partly on buldetails regarding rether bullet, and this locks the whole way. The whole of this slone will stimulate interest in the trade will be taken by the railway and, no experiments. The stopping powers of the doubt, with chesper and more expeditious new pollet, with its solid base, have been transit, the export will expand greatly. already tested so far as is possible without From five to six hundred tone of tea would having a real live enemy to shoot at: make only a few train-loads, it is true, but what is required is to show that at all it is somewhat surprising to find such a ranges its flight is practically the same as heavy export of one article from a State the original bullet for which the rifle is as remote from populous centres as is sighted. Ordnance experts know now that Tawngpeng. Heipaw and South Heinwi this is the case, and every officer and non- sent large quantities of rice to Maymyo commissioned officer at the four schools of and North Hsinwi exported hides and musketry in India will shortly be but in a stick-lao. From China come straw hats, position to acquire similar knowledge, as copper cooking-pots, and cast-iron 10,000 rounds are to be served out among, cauldrons, while raw cotton is sent from them; but it is important to make the the Shan States to China. Mr Leverank-and-file understand that the small- son, like many other British officers bore rifle can be as effective with the in other quarters of the globe, calls new emmunition as the discarded Martinia attention to the partial displacement Henry. At Meerut nearly every British of British products by Continental goods. regiment in the two Commands will be Fancy hardware and cheap finery very represented, and when the competitors frequently bear German or Belgian marks disperse each man will have information to and even in the cheaper kinds of calico give his company that cannot fail to have a German goods are seen as often as if not marked effect in the barrack-room. The more often than, Manchester products. The Les Motford with cordite cartridges is a reason appears to be, as is pointed out by marvellously accurate weapon; the carbine, our Consular Agents all over the world; that as we recently noticed, makes a better Continental merchants study their markets target at 1,000 yards than the rifle; the and produce goods accordingly, while this prouble as to the erosion of the harrels has British merchant is apparently less incline been overcome; and it only remains to ed to adapt himself to the hords of demonstrate publicly that atopping power his consumers and, after opening up shadowy theoretical advantage on the lass been gained without destroying the a market for trade, allows it to slip low trojectory at all ranges. This, we from his greep rather than modify his hope, will be done at the B. P. R. A. meet old methods to suit it. The Shan has not yet learnt to distinguish between then have practical proof afforded him that dearness and expensiveness and will hilly poor celico because he paye less per yard for it rether than higher prised stuff which will in reality give him better value for his money. This face apparently the Ogrman

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and cottons seen in the baraars irralways Manchester goods, and it is only the lowpriced goods that bear the Continental marks. Importers in Rangoon will see very little that is new in this, but it adds one more to the many warnings British manufacturers have recently received .---Rangoon Gazette:

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET. In their weekly share report dated Honge that dear Court at Bangkok. Better in- kong, 9th September, Messrs Benjamin, have learned beforehand of the disorders | The Share Market has displayed greater

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks here is the contrast between the cordial have experienced a very sharp rise, and feeling His Siamese Majesty shows to- been placed at advancing rates up to 193 wards our Minister at Bungkok and per cent. premium, but are again slightly the bitter hostility of his Government easier with no buyers over 192 per cent. of the official world of the Princes, Minis- The London quotation has advanced to ters, or Counsellors, to French policy. £43. Nationals have been placed at \$27. Marine Insurances .- Unions have impresentative to his parties and dinners, proved their position considerably, and while Madame Defrance is accorded the have changed hands at \$240 and \$2425 and unprecedented honour of sitting at His are still in demand, China Traders have Majesty's table, and, in a word, the King advanced one point and have been placed at appears to shower upon all of us his favours, \$811 and \$82. Straits are easier with his smiles, and his politeness, the French shares offering at \$27. Yangtszes are again Legation daily has to complain of the rude- in some demand and are not obtainable ness and ill-will of Simmese official commu- under \$145.

Fire Insurances.-Hongkong Fires have limited confidence in the energy and strengthened and after sales at 8335 are ability of M. Defrance; we know he will enquired for at \$340. A sale at 8346 has not pass over any offence or any annoyance been effected for December. China Fires

Shipping .- A few Hongkong, Canton.

Docks, Wharees and Godowns.-Hong troubled waters will be able to drive us. | kong and Whampoa Docks continue to Our readers will need little comment on boom, and have advanced ten points during this; it fully corroborates what we have the week, with sales at various rates up to previously said about Chinese Secret Society | 201 per cent premium. Transactions on rows being magnified into rebellions, and time have taken place to a considerable upon the registration question; and it is extent at equivalent rates. Wharf shares especially frank upon the use that is being have been in some demand and have been made of Chinese. It is also significant as bought at \$54k and are wanted. Wanchai's

Lande, Hotels and Buildings .- Hongkong Lands are again firmer and sales at \$75 have been effected. Kowloon Lands have been negotiated at \$181. A large The anxiety which was felt for the safety line of West Points have changed hands at 1818, and the stock closes in demand at

Miscellaneous. - Green Islands Coments now been set at rest the s.s. Perdana on the sre very firm at \$171 and are not obtain-3rd September bringing news that she was able. A. S. Watsons have been sold at at anchor at Kuala Kuantan, the steamer | 812.90. Ropes have hardened and after meeting with strong winds and currents sales at \$126 and \$1261, have been done at and having put in there owing to her coal \$127 and are wanted. Tramways have received from Capt. Fripp that morning, this figure. Geo. Fenwicks have weakened

morning. Messra Wee Bin & Co., the The scheme of Intierial defence upon agents of the vessel, are, however, making | which Mr Chamberlain has been engaged arrangements to send the sis, Ruby with a for some time will (says the Army and Many unly of seal to meet the Hong Linny, the | Greette) shortly be sent out to the Colonies. Ruby leaving this afternoon. As showing It will be accompanied by a request to the the straits to which the vessel was reduced | Colonies to furnish any comments they for fuel supplies it is rumoured that a may think it necessary to make upon the portion of the Hong Liong's forecastle fit scheme, and the criticism will appear as tings had to be used to keep the engines marginal notes. The whole scheme will going, but fortunately there was no lack of their be laid before an Imperial Conference

Turize cruisers have been ordered in Magland for the Russian Volunteer Fleet; they are to be of the Kherson type. Orders Some of the most interesting passages in | have been received at the Inhera (Russia) the very interesting reports on the Northern | Amenal for the construction of some torpe-Shan States by Mr Leveson and Mr Gra- | do boat destroyers of the Solad type. The

> Hongkong Register. Provious Cm date atiOm date at layatip.m. 10 s.m. 4 p.m. 29.77 29,83

F. G. Figg, First Assistant. Hongkong Observatory. Bepl. 10, 1896.

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o be 2 feet below mean see level. To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add & Ita in, and on the gauge at Lamont Dook. Abardeen, add 12 ft. 9 in. to the hold

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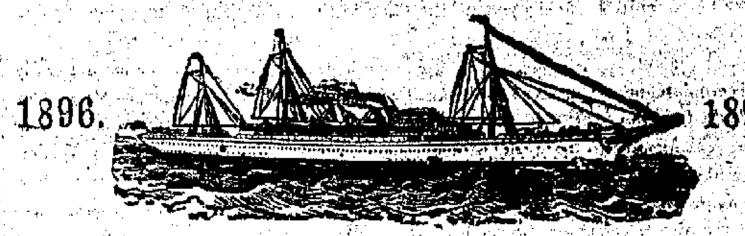
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THE SHRINKAGE OF FRANCE. The shrinkage of France, which is one of the salient facts in the history of modern Europe, shows no sign of stopping. For across the seas. That is about the number publicists and journalists have been deploring the imminent depopulation of their country. Endless measures to arrest it have been suggested, and-some-notably one for giving special educational bonefits at the expense of the State to large families -have been carried out by the Legislature. But the quinquennial census, of which the official results are now published, shows that the tendency continues unabated. The population of France has reached what is practically a stationary point; the rate of increase, such as it is, diminishes with each consus period ; and before long, unless some grout change takes place in the French birth-rate, the population of France will begin actually to decline. The number of 'CHEAP Copyright Music, 4 for \$1 .- W Fronchmen (excluding aliens, naturalised or otherwise) has in all probability begun to decline already. In soveral years of the last décade, the number of deaths in France has exceeded the births. Since the last consus was taken, there has been a decrease of population in no loss than 63 departments, and the increase is all in large towns. The total increase in the last five years has . If been but 133,819 (as compared with 1,854,684 in this country), and this poor increase has been not at all (it seems) by the multiplication of the native race, but entirely by the immigration of aliens.

Perhaps we can best bring out the significance of these facts and figures by comparing the position of France with some of its friends and rivals in modern Europe. Let us take, first, our own country. For the first time on record the population of Great Britain now exceeds that of France. French vastly outnumbered the British. for our population on June 30 last, figures with those for the beginning of the

,27,349,003 38,228,569 England ..... 15,896,412 39,451,697 Great Britain through the century has been increasing twice as fast as her neighbour, and in recent years more than ten times as fast. It is by the rocking of the cradle, someone has said, that the balance number of the Review by papers highly of power is decided. Comparisons may be made with other counties besides Eng-Some translations from Chinese novels and land to illustrate this point. A hundred years ago there were these Frenchness of style; and an account of the career of men to every Prussian. To-day there the Ohinese post-statesman of the eleventh are three Prussians to every two Frenchmen; and as for the German Empire sentury, Su Tang-p'o, by Mr. E. O. Bowrs, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the Hast, which will be a useful feature of the Hast, which will be a useful feature of the Hast, which will be a useful feature of all, for with the steady fall in the French and detail, we are glad to notice that Notes and Queries are destined to more a country of middle-aged and old men. Whatever may be the case with their hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar is beating France hollow in the cradle. In this respect, the alliance of France with Russia is very interesting—France, with her accumulated wealth on the one side, Russia with her overflowing cradic on the other. The birth-rate in European Russia is 45 per 1,000; in France it is 22. Every year, there are not more than 26,000 extra French subjects to sing the Marseillaise, but every year there are a million more little mouths to sing 'God Save the Czar.' VS Next to the shrinkage of France, the exparsion of Russia is one of the most remarkable features of the century.
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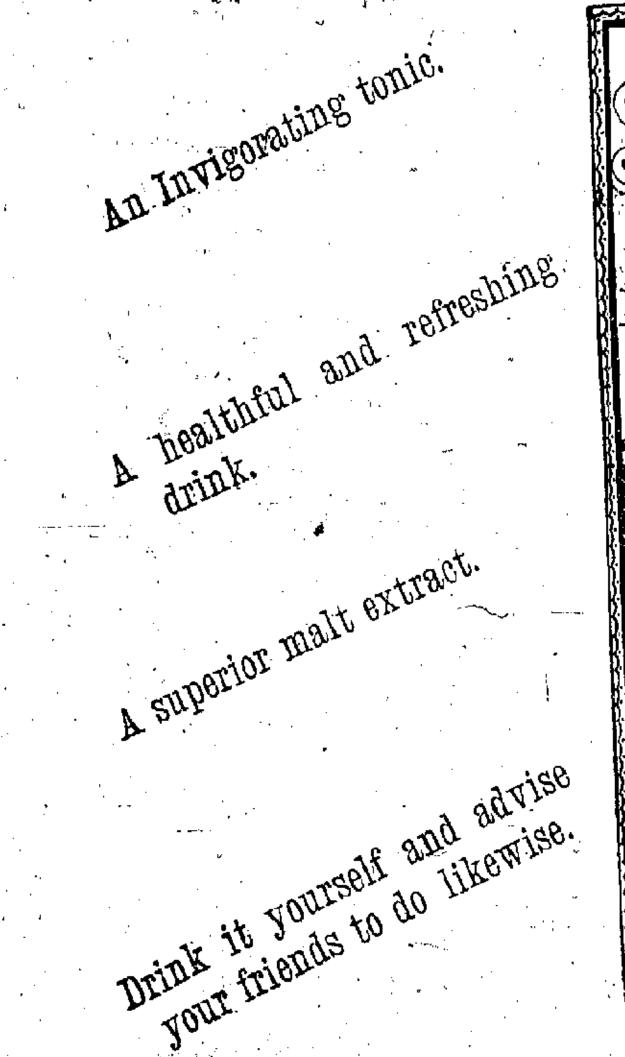
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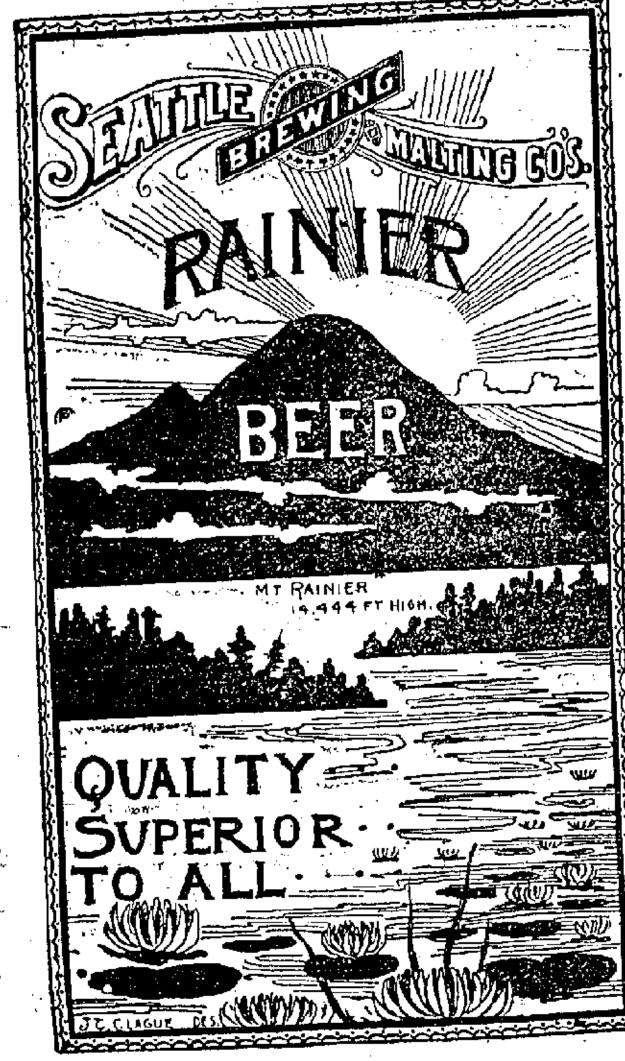
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